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Dear Sir:

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DETECTING THE LIGHT COMING FROM A SAMPLE

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated September 19, 2006 (herein referred to as "the Office Action" or "this Office Action"). A petition for a three-month extension of time is submitted herewith.

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